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Re: Patent Application 09/845,923.

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Filed: 30 April 2001

Title: **PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITION
AND METHOD FOR RELIEVING ITCH, PAIN
AND SWELLING RESULTING FROM INSECT
BITES AND STINGS**

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Sir:

In response to the office action dated April 1, 2004, no paper number, in the subject patent application, for which a response is due on July 1, 2004 the following comments are submitted and reconsideration of the claim rejections is respectfully requested.

The Applicants submit that in view of the attached Certificate of Mailing, this response is timely.

Listing/Amendment to the claims begin on page 2 of this response.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this response.